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In The Claims

Claim 11 has been amended as follows:

11. (Amended) A thermal bubble inkjet head having off-shooter heaters and a rapid ink refill mechanism comprising:
- a silicon substrate having a top surface and a bottom surface;
  - a first insulating material layer of at least 1000 Å thick on said top surface;
  - a funnel-shaped manifold formed in said silicon substrate;
  - two spaced-apart heaters formed on said first insulating material layer on said top surface;
  - two interconnects formed of a conductive metal each in electrical communication with one of said two spaced-apart heaters;
  - a third insulating material layer on top of said two spaced-apart heaters and said first insulating material layer;
  - a first photoresist layer of at least 2000Å thick on top of said third insulating material layer;
  - a primary and an auxiliary ink chamber formed in said first photoresist layer in fluid communication with each other and with said funnel-shaped manifold;